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: It was previously reported that Ochar wull-chi ho-chi-erh along with another "lesser puppet", Ta-mi-ming/ling/-su-lung, returned to Inner Mongolia to form two Inner Mongolian Independent Group Divisions based on former puppet divisions. Their main objective was an attempt to convince the leaders of Inner Mongolia that their destiny lay with the Mongolian People's Republic rather than with China. Also, it was reported on 1 October 1946 that Damerin Tseren (also Tambason, previously reported Damsurun and phoneticized Ta-mu-su-lung), formerly a commanding officer of a division in Prince Te's army, was sending agents to infiltrate northern Chahar from his headquarters at Tehua (113-53, 42-02). On 11 January 1947 an unconfirmed report was received stating that he had returned from the Mongolian People's Republic with Wulji Ochar.)

- 5. The following may be reasons for Wulji Ochar's release and return to Inner Mongolia:
 - a. The Outer Mongolians were dissatisfied with YUN Tse's government.
 - b. Troops were needed in the area to protect the people against candits.
 - c. He may be an agent of the Mongolium Peoplets Republic.
- 6. Wulji Ochar's attitude toward YUN Tse's government when he returned to Inner Mongolia was that he wished to learn anything that its members had to teach and that members of the Inner Mongolian Autonomy Movement Association were welcome in his area if they were not carrying firearms. On the other hand, he could see no reason for YUN Tse to appoint men to govern wulji Ochar's area.

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- 7. Wulji Ochar is not connected with the Chinese Communist Eighth houte army or with the Central Government. There is no foundation for reports of his capture and execution by the Eighth Route Army.

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- 8. On 5 December 1946, Prince Te received a message from wulji Ochar stating that he would place himself and all his forces at Prince Te's disposal if the Prince should start a movement for Mongolian autonomy.
- 9. When General FU Tso-yi was in Nanking, he obtained permission from Generalissimo CHIANG Kai-shek to attack wulji Ochar's area and troops on the ground that Ochar was an agent of the Soviets and of the Longolian People's Republic. CHANG Chi-hsiang (法法之子), formerly a regimental commander in Prince Te's Mengchiang Army but now an officer under General FU Tso-yi, was given the task. CHANG sent a letter and then a messenger to ask wulji Ochar to cooperate with the Nationalists. When the letter was unanswered and the messenger jailed, CHANG started to attack on the 4th or 5th of December 1946 with 3,000 men, 100 trucks and a few planes. Wulji Ochar's forces who were then north of West Prast Sunit Banner (114-31, 43-13), Ochar's original base, numbered 3,000 men. Upon sighting the planes, Ochar ordered his men to scatter and reassemble at Peitzumiao (Pandita Gengen Sume, 116-10, 43-50). By 17 December his men had reached Peitzumiao. From there he planned to lead his men to Bairin Left Flank Banner (Lintung, 119-15, 43-59) to join the forces of the banner chief who is reported to have 3,000 under his command

The chief of the Bairin Left Flank B anner was Chin Zarikto, at the end of September 1946. At that time he had 1,000 soldiers under his command. He was ostensibly collaborating with the Communist 3 houts army but was trying to make connection with the Nationalist Government.

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The forces of Wulji Ochar are referred to in the following special wire from Mukden dated 31 December 1946 published in the Peiping Sain Chich Jih Pao:

"According to reports, the Outer Mongolians are using the Talikangyen pastures as the base for advancing southward. Twenty thousand men have driven into Inner Mongolia, calling themselves the Inner Mongolian Self-Rule Army. It is said that they are advancing towards northern Jehol and northern Liaoning and have attained contact with the Puppet Eastern Mongolian Government. It is reported that there is an attempt being made to demand the amalgamation of Inner with Outer Mongolia."

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note: Talikangyen /?Talikangyaimuchang/ pasture is the area of the Talaihanga B anner /?at Shine Daringanga Suma, 113-40, 45-20/ northwest of Abaga Right Banner (114-30, 43-48) and southeast of Undur Haan (Undur Khan, 110-39, 47-19) which has been disputed for the last thirty years but under Outer Mongolian administration for the last fifteen years.)

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12. The basis for the newspaper story was a Kuomintang Intelligence agency (Chung Tung Chu) report which had previously been given to Mongols in Peiping. 25X1X6

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An American observer who has just returned from Changchun /date unstated/ thinks that the conclusion of the Peiping intellectuals may be incorrect. It is possible that the newspaper item on the southward movement of Outer Mongolian forces into Inner Mongolia is an accurate report since there have been other indications of the advance of Outer Mongolian troops into Inner Mongolia at scattered points.)

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note: The number of Outer Mongolian troops given as twenty thousand seems improbably high. See troops from Outer Mongolia having garrisoned Daringanga in March 1946. See treporting 3,000 Outer Mongolian troops in the area of Peitzumlao. Also, see paragraph 2.7

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